

## Installation Instructions

1. Run **XAMPP** and activate the **Apache** and **MySQL** modules.
2. Open the project, ideally using an IDE (e.g., *IntelliJ*).
3. Run the REST API:
  - Navigate to `src/main/java/services/RESTAPI.java`.
4. Depending on your environment:
  - a. If using *IntelliJ*, create an `E199:war exploded` artifact.
  - b. Create a Tomcat configuration for the web app. Ensure the URL is set to:  
`http://localhost:5000/E199_war_exploded/`  
Attach the artifact to the configuration if using *IntelliJ*.
5. Run the web app using the configuration created in Step 4b.
6. Open a browser (e.g., *Google Chrome*) with CORS deactivated.
7. Paste the URL:  
`http://localhost:5000/E199_war_exploded/`  
into the search bar to open the app. Have fun browsing!
8. (Bonus) Click anywhere to hear some *qUaLiTy mUsIc!*